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Madison, Wisconsin -- Stephen P. Sinnott, Acting United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin, announced that Candace R. Radermacher, DOB: 5/18/80, of the Lac Courte Oreilles Reservation in Sawyer County, was sentenced late yesterday afternoon in United States District Court in Madison to 30 years in federal prison without parole. Candace Radermacher previously pleaded guilty to conspiring with other members of the Latin King Nation to distribute cocaine and crack cocaine on and around the Lac Courte Oreilles Reservation.

In sentencing Candace Radermacher to 30 years in prison without parole, Chief Judge Barbara B. Crabb found that Radermacher was the "Caccique" of the Latin King gang in Hayward and, as second in command, was a leader who controlled money, directed others to distribute cocaine and crack cocaine, and, with her husband John Radermacher, ran a crack house through which a very large amount of crack cocaine was distributed.

Radermacher is the 32nd defendant sentenced as a result of this long-term investigation conducted in Sawyer County by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Wisconsin Department of Justice, Division of Criminal Investigation-Narcotics Bureau, and the Sawyer County Sheriff's Department. Prosecution of these cases has been handled by Assistant United States Attorney John W. Vaudreuil.

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